

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 -
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1791**

Attorney's Docket No. **030627/267422**

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Nestor et al.	Confirmation No.: 9010
Appl. No.: 10/674,909	Group No.: 1791
Filed: September 30, 2003	Examiner: Nguyen, Phu Hoang
For: SMOKABLE ROD FOR A CIGARETTE	

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of THREE months to respond to the Final Office Action dated April 8, 2008.
2. Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee For Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$130.00	\$65.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$490.00	\$245.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,110.00	\$555.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,730.00	\$865.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months*	\$2,350.00	\$1,175.00

*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.
- ☒ All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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